

Transferable Role Template

Career Framework Level 1

ERCH Level 1 Support Worker

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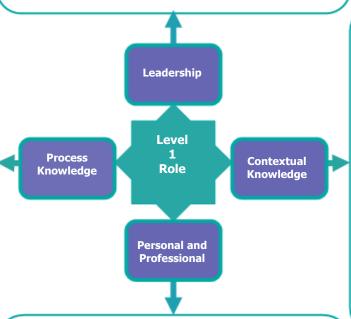


Level Descriptors

Key characteristics of a Level 1 Role

Contributes to improvements in performance in the work context Supports change management Takes responsibility for the completion of delegated tasks

Solves routine problems using simple rules and tools, escalates when necessary
Makes judgements involving straightforward work related facts or situations
Performs routine clinical, technical, administrative or scientific tasks in a narrow area Has responsibility for care of equipment and resources used by self or others
Contributes to simple audits or surveys relevant to own work area



Recalls and comprehends basic facts and main ideas Awareness of policy and legislation Awareness of legal and ethical issues

Works to agreed protocols/standard operating procedures Works under direct supervision in a structured context Demonstrates self-directed development and practice Presents self in a credible and competent manner



Definition of the Level 1 Role

People at level 1 are at entry level, and require basic general knowledge. They undertake a limited number of straightforward tasks under direct supervision.

Example of Role at Level 1

Support Worker:

Level 1 support workers work to agreed protocols and procedures in stable structured work areas. They are able to solve routine problems and make straightforward judgements based on established protocols. They have general skills in a specific aspect of service delivery and work under direct supervision.

These characteristics have been developed by Skills for Health working with employers and other stakeholders.

Basic Information:

Named Role	ERCH Level 1 Support Worker
Area of work	Community NHS Or Local Authority Or Independent, Hospital NHS Or Independent
Role Family	AHPs, Nursing
Experience required	This is an entry level role therefore minimal experience in a caring role would be advantageous
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Summary of Role

This role incorporates nursing and some therapy tasks. The role holder will follow planned care programmes and be supervised by a registered professional or a level 4 support worker. They will be based on the inpatient ward.

Scope of the Role

The role will support the delivery of inpatient services to patients admitted to East Riding Community Hospital. They will liaise with community services and have some day to day supervisory responsibilities for other support workers as agreed with their line manager.

They will work to established protocols and procedures.



Level 1 Core Competences / National Occupational Standards:

Underpinning Principle	Refer	ence Function	Competence
1. COMMUNICATION	1.2	Communicate effectively	GEN97 Communicate effectively in a healthcare environment http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3001
2. PERSONAL & PEOPLE DEVELOPMENT	2.1.1	Develop your own practice	SCDHSC0023 Develop your own knowledge and practice http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3517
3. HEALTH SAFETY & SECURITY	3.5.1	Ensure your own actions reduce risks to health and safety	IPC2.2012 Perform hand hygiene to prevent the spread of infection http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3309
			PROHSS1 Make sure your own actions reduce risks to health and safety http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3327 PMWRV1 Make sure your actions contribute to a positive and safe working culture http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/4027
	3.5.2	Protect individuals from abuse	SCDHSC0024 Support the safeguarding of individuals http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3518
5. QUALITY	5.1.1	Act within the limits of your competence and authority	GEN63 Act within the limits of your competence and authority http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/85
6. EQUALITY & DIVERSITY	6.1	Ensure your own actions support equality of opportunity and diversity	SCDHSC0234 Uphold the rights of individuals http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3506
B. HEALTH INTERVENTION	B2.1	Obtain information from individuals about their health status and needs	CHS169 Comply with legal requirements for maintaining confidentiality in healthcare http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/2820
D. INFORMATION MANAGEMENT / INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY	D2.4	Maintain information / record systems	CFA_BAD332 Store and retrieve information using a filing system http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/4104
H. MANAGEMENT & ADMINISTRATION	H1.3.1	Contribute to the effectiveness of teams	SCDHSC0241 Contribute to the effectiveness of teams http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3509
	H2.6	Receive and pass on messages and information	Use digital communications http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/4150



Role Specific Competences / National Occupational Standards:

Underpinning Principle	Refer	ence Function	Competence
2. PERSONAL & PEOPLE DEVELOPMENT	2.1.2	Reflect on your own practice	SCDHSC0033 Develop your practice through reflection and learning
3. HEALTH SAFETY & SECURITY	3.5.1	Ensure your own actions reduce risks to health and safety	http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3415 IPC3.2012 Clean, disinfect and remove spillages of blood and other body fluids to minimise the risk of infection http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3362
		,	IPC5.2012 Minimise the risk of exposure to blood and body fluids while providing care http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3364
			IPC7.2012 Safely dispose of healthcare waste, including sharps, to prevent the spread of infection http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3366
			IPC9.2012 Minimise the risk of spreading infection when removing used linen http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3371
			IPC10.2012 Minimise the risk of spreading infection when transporting clean and used linen http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3372
B. HEALTH INTERVENTION	B2.1	Obtain information from individuals about their health status and needs	CHS169 Comply with legal requirements for maintaining confidentiality in healthcare http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/2820
	B3.3.3	Move and position individuals	SCDHSC0223 Contribute to moving and positioning individuals http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3528
	B3.3.6	Support others in providing health care actions	GEN8 Assist the practitioner to implement healthcare activities http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/389
	B10.2	Provide first aid to an individual	CHS36 Provide basic life support http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/906
	B14.2	Implement care plans/programme s	CHS138 Assist in the implementation of mobility and movement programmes for individuals to restore optimum movement and functional independence http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/2732
	B14.4	Undertake personal care for individuals	SCDHSC0218 Support individuals with their personal care needs http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3526



			SCDHSC0219
			Support individuals to manage continence http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3527
	B16.1	Support	GEN5
		individuals during	Support individuals undergoing healthcare
		and after	activities
		clinical/therapeuti	http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/312
		c activities	
	B16.1	(Contd)	SCDHSC0224
		Support	Monitor the condition of individuals
		individuals during	http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3529
		and after	
		clinical/therapeuti	
		c activities	
	B16.3	Assist individuals	SCDHSC0215
		in undertaking	Help individuals to maintain mobility
		activities	http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3524
	B16.4	Support	SCDHSC0235
		individuals to	Enable individuals to make their way around
		retain, regain and	specific places
		develop the skills	http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3507
		to manage their	
		lives and	
	D17	environment	CODUCCOSS
	B17	Work in	SCDHSC0227
		collaboration with	Contribute to working in partnership with carers http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3532
		carers in the caring role	http://tools.skinstorneatur.org.uk/competence/show/html/fd/3552
C. HEALTH PROMOTION	C2.6	Act on behalf of	SCDHSC0367
& PROTECTION	C2.0	an individual,	Support individuals to access independent
& PROTECTION		family or	representation and advocacy
		community	http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3460
		(advocacy)	
		(davocacy)	SCDHSC0410
			Advocate with and on behalf of individuals
			http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3484
H. MANAGEMENT &	H1.3.1	Contribute to the	SCDHSC3100
ADMINISTRATION		effectiveness of	Participate in inter-disciplinary team working to
		teams	support individuals
			http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3420
	H2.6	Receive and pass	SCDHSC0242
		on messages and	Deal with messages and information
		information	http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/3510
			CFA_BAA621
			Make and receive telephone calls
	H2.7	Use office	http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/4089 CFA_BAA231
	112./		
		equipment	Use office equipment http://tools.skillsforhealth.org.uk/competence/show/html/id/4074
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Facets of Role (National Occupational Standards):

Underpinning Principle	Reference Function	Competence
	None Assigned	



Locality Specific Competences / National Occupational Standards:

Underpinning Principle	Reference Function	Competence
	None Assigned	



Indicative Learning and Development

Transferable role	ERCH Level 1 Support Worker
Formal endorsed learning	
Informal learning	
Summary of learning and development including aims and objectives	
Duration	
National Occupational Standards used	
Credits (including framework used)	
Accreditation	
APEL and progression	
Programme structure	
Continuous Professional Development	It is recognised that continuing professional development is an essential component to maintaining competent, safe practice at all levels of the career framework. Learning should be active, with the impact on service delivery clearly defined and agreed between the learner and their line manager. A range of methods for capturing the impact of learning may be used e.g. learning contracts, reflective accounts, productivity measures, appraisals systems and processes. Wherever possible learning should be accredited and/or credit rated and should focus on the needs of the individual in the role.



Resources required, e.g. placement learning, preceptors, accredited assessors etc	
Quality Assurance	
Policies included in learning programme documentation	
Funding	
Leading to registration or membership with:	



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